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MEMORANDUM FOR: DDP/Training Officer

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SUBJECT

Postponement of the Assignment of

to the Armed Forces

Staff College

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GS-14, Chief of the Operations, was selected

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by the DDP last fall for the August 1967 - January 1968 term of the Armed Forces Staff College in Norfolk. This assignment comes in the middle of a Headquarters tour for Mr. \_\_\_\_\_\_, in a supervisory position which has responsibility for CIA's priority operational program against \_\_\_\_\_\_ In addition, it is desired to make the best use of his recent field experience operating against \_\_\_\_\_\_, another difficult denied area target.

2. I therefore wish to withdraw him from the term beginning in August 1967. I intend to resubmit his name later this year for the term beginning in August 1968. While I understand that it is not normal practice for the DDP to make any advance commitments on assignments of this type, I hope under the circumstances that the application will receive favorable consideration at that time.

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Chief, Far East Division

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